Speaks at Formal Dinner Given John Hartfield, Confessed Rapist in His Honor by Poincaire

Paris, June 26 (By the Associated the president.

I can say with the greatest sincerity ing. that the prospect of leaving France is very painful to me.

resent.

"I feel that my stay here, sir, has

to pagreement; but as the weeks have ing. lengthened I have seemed to see the profit that came out of that. Quick that intimate knowledge of each oth- She positively identified him as her Prasington, 309 1-4 acres, \$4,329.50. er's mind which I think has come out assailant. When she left the negro May 22-J. E. Rembert to Nonie of these daily conferences.

"The six months have been six right man." months which have woven new fibres of connection between the hearts of The World's Greatest Nitrate Plant our people. And something more than friendship and intimate sympathy has come out of this intercourse.

clime. If it be true that that has been operation of the plant had to be pur-

been present at one of the most vital tion tory of nations. Nations have formed greatest engineering achievements. contracts with each other before, but Its construction and time of initial

"Merely to beat a nation that was they in turn will be vanquished and shamed if they attempt a dishonorable purpose.

must now for a little while turn away from France, shall leave your shores. and though the ocean is broad it will seem very narow in the future. It will be easier to understand each other than it ever was before and with making plants, the the confident intercourse of cooperathe understanding will be strengthened into action and action It operates under the cyanamid prowill itself educate alike our purpose and our thought.

"So, sir, in saying good-bye to France I'm only saying a sort of physical good-bye, not a spiritual goodbye. I shall retain in my heart always the warm feelings which the generous treatment of this great people has generated in my heart. And I wish in my turn, sir, to propose, as Good Bye to you have proposed, the continued and increasing friendship of the two nations, the safety and prosperity of France, the closer and closer com- President Wilson Received Newsmunion of free peoples and the strengthening of every influence which instructs the mind and purpose of humanity."

John A. Leach Dies at Denver

Was Founder Brotherhood Lo- have been issued since June 16th. comotive Firemen and Enginemen

Denver, June 27.—John A. Leach Doyle. 76 years of age, founder of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen died here last night of

War Veterans Protested Returned Soldiers Refused to

Hear LaFollette Speak Asbury, N. J., June 26 .- United McCoy. States Senator Robert M. LaFollette. of Wisconsin has been withdrawn as a speaker at a concert to be given by Anna Case Cooper, a singer in the Ocean Grove auditorium on July 5. it was announced here today S. Hur + managing director of a musical bureau which leased the building Returned war veterans protested, basing their objections, they said, on the Senator's attitude before the United States entered the war.

Cloud Burst at Roanoke Traffic Badly Tied Up. Tracks Carter Horne were married at the May 10-W. H. Patterson to Ralph

and Bridges Washed Away

Hanged and Body Burned

Ellisville. Miss., June 26.-Trailed Press) .- President Poincare tonight for ten days through thr e south "isgave a dinner to President Wilson and sissippi counties by posses, whi all the delegates to the peace con-cluded several hundred members of ference. Mrs. Wilson accompanied his own race, John Hartfield, negro. confessed assailant of an Ellisville "I thank you most sincerely for the young woman, was captured, desperwords that you have uttered," Presi- ately wounded, near Collins at daydent Wilson in responding to an ad- break this morning, rushed by autodress of M. Poincare said. "I can not mobile to the scene of his crime. pretend, sir, that the prospect of going hanged to a tree and then burned to home is not a very delightful one but ashes. His victim witnessed the lynch-

While negroes took no part in the actual lynching of Hartfield, posse "I have received a peculiarly gen- leaders freely admitted they rendered erous welcome here, and it has been valuable assistance during the chase, driana Myers, 19 9-10 acres, \$248.75. pleasing for me to feel that that wel- knowing when they enlisted that it come was intended not so much for was intended to lynch the fugitive myself as for the people whom I rep- when he was captured. Many of them witnessed the execution.

The lynching was conducted in a enlightened both my heart and my manner which the authorities characmind. It has enabled me personally terized as "orderly." Guarded by a to see the evidence of the suffering committee of citizens of Ellisville. and sacrifices of France. It has en- Hartfield, was taken first to the office abled me to come into personal touch of Dr. A. J. Carter, who, after examwith the leaders of the French peo- ining of his gunshot wounds received ple and through the medium of inter- when the fugitive made his fight course with them to understand bet- against capture, declared the negro could not live more than 24 hours. In "Sometimes the work of the confer- the meantime a group of silent men ence has seemed to go very slowly were piling crossties and brush in a \$1,200. indeed. Sometimes it has seemed as depression in the ground near the If there were unnecessary obstacles railroad trestle. There was no shout-

The victim of Hartfield's crime we escorted into the physician's office af- Holiday, Jr., 35 acres, \$1,000. conclusions would not have produced ter the wounds had been examined. said to the committee, "You have the S. Rembert, 296 acres, \$10,000.

at Muscle Shoals

The Muscle Shoals nitrate plant is "We have finished the formulation a monument to the chemical, engiof the peace, but we have begun a neering, contracting and munufact- \$10. plan of cooperation which I believe uring and laboring forces of the will broaden and strengthen. . . . We country. For it should be remembershall continue to be coworkers in ed that an army aggregating in the tasks which, because they are com- total 50,000 workmen had to be mon, will weave out of our sentiments gathered; a small city had to be 250. a common conception of duty and built to house this multitude; that a common conception of the rights millions of tons of materials and Millie O. Sanders, 39 1-2 acres, \$5 of men of every race and of every equipment for the construction and per acre. accomplished, it is a very great thing. chased-in some cases manufactured, "As I go away from these scenes transported, assembled and erected and John Sumter, 1 acre, \$100. I think I shall realize that I have under war conditions. The constructhings that has happened in the his-fully considered one of the world's \$9,000.

they never have formed partnerships. operation exceeded all expectations. W. Green, 1-2 acre, \$60. They have associated themselves tem- In less than 12 months after the first June 16-W. W. Green, to Walker mercial Co., 1 lot, \$1,050. porarily, but they have never before person on construction work reached T. Green and Estelle McElveen, 100 June 5-D. G. F. Bultman, Ex. to All-American Congres of Women Sufsociated themselves permanently. the site, located about two and one- acres, \$20 and other considerations. Peoples' Tobacco Warehouse Co., 1 "The wrong that was done in the half miles from the nearest town and June 16-W. W. Green and Es-lot, \$4,500. waging of this war was a great wrong, occupied by cotton and corn field, 90 telle McElveen to Walker T. Green, but it wakened the world to a great per cent of the mammoth plant had 150 acres, \$20 and other consideramoral necessity of seeing that it was been completed, and in eight months tions. operation was turned out. Not only wrong once is not enough. There must cess, but it is found that ammonium \$20 and other considerations. follow the warning to all other na- nitrate can be produced there at a tions that would do like things that cost less than half of the standard fixed price formerly paid by the Government. Compared with the old prices for making ammonium nitrate, the savings thus made would other considerations. what deep feelings those of us who have paid for the entire plant in about one and one-half years of operation. Since the signing of the armistice prevented the plant going into full operation, the question now is, what disposition will the Government make of it? Unlike other strictly munition-Muscle Shoals plant can be utilized for peace purcess, which has been a commercia! success for years. Its operation can make American farmers independent of Chilean nitrates, as far-seeing men are now trying to do in the case of freeing America from the domination of German potash.

Correspondents

paper Men To-day

received the American correspondents lot, \$5. at the Htoel de Crillon this afternoon and said his goodbyes to them.

Mariage Licenses. The following marriage licenses White.

John P. Booth, Jr., and Hassie Par-

George Cantslon and Mattie Webb. Elma Witherspoon, 1 lot, \$300. John M. Kenney and Marie S.

R. F. Haynsworth and Elizabeth L. Brown. Henry Spradley and Nettie Boyd.

Richard E. Horn. Jr., and Lilie E P. J. Gallagher and Miriam Mellette. L. Lowrance and Adele Pitts. K. Holman, 1 fot and ! house, \$7.

Colored. John Williams and Minnie Mabel;

Pinckney Frasier and Charlotte and other considerations. John Bigs and Bertha Sharps.

Islah Davis andSusanna Frierson, Henry Hughes and Alice Muray. James Price and Margeret Convers. house, \$2,400. Sam Green and Isabella Robertson. Robert Pattern and Bertha Mc- Bronnan, 1 lot. 1 house, \$3,700.

Thos. Hines and Inez Charles. Geo. Bradford and Mary Huggins Marion Clarks and Sarah Jones Dannie Chandler and Carrie Mc-

Gregg-Horne. Miss Lillie Gregg and Mr. Richard Blackwell, 1 lot. \$450. home of Mrs. Celie M. Gregg, the Hill, 1 lot, \$800. bride's grandmother, on Washington | May 12-Harby & Roanoke, June 27 .- Railroad traf- street. Tuesday morning, June 24th, Valentine, 1 lot. \$750. fic was badly tied up here today as a at 8 o'clock, Rev. J. P. Marion officiat- May 13-H. M. Murray to Lou Ide result of the cloud burst a few miles ing. Only the immediate family Wheeler, \$250. northeast of here last night. The were present at the ceremony. Mr. May 23-Archie China, et al., to Norfolk and Western tracks and and Mrs. Horne left immediately after L. Alpert, 1 lot. 1 house, \$25,000. bridges were washed away. Approxi- the coremony on a bridal trip to Den- May 15-H. D. Barnett, et al., to mately twenty miles of road were af- ver, Colorado, after which they will Rosa B. DesChamps, 1 lot. \$5 and be at home at Beaufort, S. C.

Wilson Says Farewell Lynching in Mississippi Real Estate Transfers May 16—Harby & Co. Pendergrass, 1 lot, \$750.

Concord Township. May 8-Martha L. Lee, et al. to R. L. Brown, 20 acres, \$1 and other considerations.

June 10-Estelle Anderson, et al. to J. A. Frierson, 30 8-10 acres, \$5 and E. Miller, 1 lot, 2 houses, \$750.

\$5 and other considerations.

June 10-Estelle Anderson & Mary J. Frierson, to J. A. Frierson, 50 acres,

Mayesvile Township. June 16-Estelle McElveen to W. W. and Walker T. Green, 212 acres, liam Keels, 1 lot, \$850. \$20 and other considerations.

Manchester Township. May 15-0. J. C. Rose to Sam Ned Walters, 35 acres, \$350. May 15-O. J. C. Rose to Wallace Leod, 1 lot, 1 house, \$2,500. Johnson, 47 1-2 acres. \$475.

May 19-Charlton DuRant to An-

June 13-C. G. Rowland to Mrs. K. H. Weinberg, 2 acres, \$2,200. Privateer Township.

June 23-T. R. Kolb, et al., to J. M. Griffin, 47 acres, \$1,680. Providence Township. May 5-W. J. Seales to L. E. Wood,

May 17-Lucius Atkins to Len Nichol, 40 acres, \$2,400. May 30-R. W. Westbery to Price James, 57 1-4 acres, \$4,966.25.

June 9-The Master to A. S. Merrimon and Isaac Strauss, 51 3-10 acres, D. Reed, 1 lot, 1 house, \$3,500. June 16-The Master to Cherry and S. L. Roper, 1 lot, \$275.

May 1-Martha C. Swett to Sandy May 1-W. C. Rogers to Dr. S. F. June 7-The Master to Shuhley

Geddings, 20 1-2 acres, \$590. Rafting Creek. June 3-C. C. Beck to J. L. Gillis,

1 lot in town, \$100. June 3-Beatrice O. Einstein to Author Einstein, et al., 2 lots in town.

June 11-The Rembert Co., to T. J. Brown. 1 lot in town, \$380. June 11-The Rembert Co., to J. Edwin Rembert, 1 lot in town, \$1,-

June 12-A. K. Sanders, et al., to

Stateburg.

May 1-The Master to Lewis Taylor June 5-R. C. Williams to S. N. and this nitrate plant is right- | G. W. Bradford, as trustees, 150 acres,

June 16-E. R. Player, et al., to W. houses, \$2,000.

necessary that men should band them- and eight days after the ground was June 16-Walker T. Green and Esselves together in order that such a broken for the plant proper the first telle McElveen to W. W. Green, 142 wrong should never be perpetrated nitrate produced in continuous acres, \$20 and other considerations. June 16.-W. W. and Walker T. is the operation of the plant a suc- Green to Estelle McElveen, 255 acres, Harby, 12 lots, \$4,400.

> Sutmer Township. May 2-R. W. Westberry to Ranger Joe, lot in town, \$650. May 3-C. M. Boykin to J. C. Rogers, et al., trustees, 1-2 acre, \$5 and

May 7-Realty Development Co., to Willie Holland, 1 lot in town, \$325. May 13-T. B. and R. J. Kennedy Powell P. Johnson, 1 lot, \$100. to J. E. Kennedy, 3 lots in town, \$1,-

May 14-Asa Jane Singleton to William Singleton, 1 1-2 acres, \$5 and oth-

er considerations. May 20-Leila N. Ligon to J. N. Martin, 2 lots in town, \$150. May 23-W. A. Jordon to I. C.

Strauss, 37 acres, \$1,250. May 24-I. C. Strauss to Maria Wilson, 3 lots in town, \$375. May 15-Realty Development Co.

to Wallace Reese, 1 lot in town, \$900. May 20-W. H. Shingler to Mrs. A. B. Cuttino, 1-2 acre, \$5 and other con-

May 24-Mrs. Estelle D' A. Levi to Ben Rembert, 51 1-4 acres, \$6,500. May 5-The Master to Davis D. Moise, 1 lot in town, \$75.

May 27-Mary A. DuRant to Clem ent H. Brunson, 1 acre, \$300. May 27-Broad Street Lodge No. Paris, June 27 .- President Wilson 7097 to Joint Stock Lodge No. 434, 1

June 7-Claremont Land Co., to Walter Gregg, 2 lots in town, \$500. June 7-Archie China to A. D.

Harby, 400 acres, \$700 and interest. June 7 .-- A. D. Harby to Davis D. Moise, 400 acres, \$700 and interest. June 10---W. O. Bradford to Perry Moses, 53 65-100 acres, \$10,600.

June 10-City National Bank to June 12-The Master to Claremont Land Co., 117 acres, \$1,000.

June 14-Pery Moses to Claremont Land Co., 2 lots, \$5. June 14-Walter G. Gregg to Per-

ry Moses, 2 lots, \$175. Sumter City. May 3--Mary Alice Seales to Dr. F

500. May 13-Mary Eliza Sanders to The Progressive Realty Co., 2 lots, \$100 who owns no land favors it. May 5-R. O. Purdy to Hal W. Har

by, 1 lot, \$2,400. May 5-McCallum Realty Co. and II. P. Moses to Knight Bros., 1 lot. 1

May 6-Geo, E. Rollins to J. May 7-Edith G. Middleton to Josiah Spann and Fannie Fletcher. Mildred M. Blanchard, 1 lot, 1 house

May 8-Annie W. Earle to H. J McLaurin, Jr., 1 lot, \$1,500. May 9-J. T. Nunnery to John Workman, 1 lot, 1 house, \$1,175. May 10-I. C. Strauss and D. D Moise, Ex'rs, to John and Maggi

other considerations,

May 16-Harby & Co., to D. P. Paper Swears May 17-J. J. Whilden to H. C.

Bland, 1 lot, \$5,458. June 17-City National Bank to G. R. and D. E. Colden, 2 lots, 2 houses,

May 17-Henrietta Bellingsha to S.

May 19-McCallum Realty Co., to T. J. Geddings, 1 lot, 1 house, \$1,100. Press)-The Pan-German Deutsch H. Jr., and M. O. H. Schwerin, 1 lot, its front page:

1 house, \$3,100. May 20-George Robinson to Wil-

May 21-Christopher Atkinson to R. B. Belser, 1 lot, 1 house, \$5 and other considerations.

May 21-The Master to M. K. Mc-May 21-J. K. Crosswell to Geo. L.

McLeod. 1 lot. 1 house, \$1,800. May 22-Gwynne B. Pitts to Julian D. Wilder, 1 lot, 1 house, \$6,500. May 23-A. J. Ard to L. B. Rhame,

May 23-J. A. Jr., and M. O'H. Schwerin to H. S. and Ola G. Waddell, 1 lot, 1 house, \$6,500. May 24-R. Dozier Lee to S. Young, 1 lot, 1 house, \$4,000.

May 24-R. B. Belser to Christopher Atkinson, 1 lot, 1 house, \$5 and seum of civilization." other considerations.

May 26-Mrs. Sudie Huff to Raymon Schwartz, 1 lot, \$1,000. May 26-Charlotte E. Moses to B May 28-McCallum Realty Co., to

May 28-Janie W. McCollum to Wm. Haldwin, 1 lot, 1 house, \$1,000. Roper, 1 lot, \$375. May 28-Louise B. Stubbs to G.

Cooper, 1 lot, 1 house, \$3,500. W. McCollum, 1 lot, \$1,100. May 30-Janie W. McCallum to B.

E. Roberts, 1 lot, \$1,275. May 31-W. B. Colclough to Geo. and will be greatly missed-D. Shore, Jr., 3 lots, \$5,000.

Crosswell, 1 lot, \$100. May 31-C. L. Tisdale to R. C Bradham, 1 lot, \$1,000. May 31-C. L. Tisdale to R. C.

Bradham, 1 lot. \$200. June 2-J. K. Crosswell to E. L. Calhoun, 1 lot. 1 house, \$7,500. house, \$14,468. June 2-W. O. Courtwright to D.

R. Plowden, 1 lot, 1 house, \$5,000. June 3-A. D. Harby to J. Harby, 1 lot, 1 house, \$11,000. June 4-A. G. Jennings to Bartow Walsh, 1 lot, \$5.

June 5-W. M. White to J. D. Dusenbury and R. W. Walter, 1 lot, 4 the services. June 5-E. W. McCallum to Com- the late Bishop W. W. Duncan.

2 lots, \$1,000. June 6-J. K. Crosswell to D. D. Moise, 1 lot, 1 house, \$20,575. June 6-R. E. Wilder to A. D. Harby, et la., 1 lot, \$7.00. June 6-C. L. Tisdale to A. D.

June 6-D. C. Shaw to A. D. Harby, lots, \$3,000. June 10-Bartow Walsh to A. D.

Harby, 1 lot, \$1,500. June 7-Harby & Co., to Susan Jones, 1 lot, \$850. June 7-Geo. E. Bruner, Jr., to T. R. Browder, 1 lot, 1 house, \$1,700.

June 7-Claremont Land Co., to June 7-Samuel Richards to Ella Bryant, 1 lot, \$5.

June 9-Eldria Turner to Loura Wishow, 1 lot, \$100. June 11-J. K. Crosswell to C. F.

Whitten, 1 lot, 1 house, \$12,000. June 11-Mary Hodge to Mrs. M. L. Smith and Mary S. Mathis, 1 lot, 1 house, \$2,500. June 13-R. C. Bradham to W. E.

Bynum, 1 lot, \$1,700. June 13-W. E. Bynum to Geo. D. Shore, Jr., 1 lot, \$850.

June 13-Perry Moses and D. D. Moise to William Berg, 1 lot, 1 house, \$35,000. lius Sutton, 1 lot, \$500. lius Sulton, 1 lot, \$500.

A. Spears, 1 lot, \$500.

June 16-E. C. Haynsworth to Mary

The Bolshevists are Those Who Have Nothing

Ufa, Russia, April 28 (Via Vladivostok, May 10)-There are about 700,000 Bashkirs (Monammedans of mixed Finnish and Tartar descent) iiving in Perm, Ufa, Viatka and Orenburg governments. They are for the most part landowners, small or great and for that reason are opposed to Bolshevism, so far at least as the latter's land distribution p. gram is conperned. Otherwise there is little difference between the Mussulman and the Russian in his attitude toward

The Mussulman is opposed to Bolshevism also regarding its policy tovard religion. The mass of the Mussulman population is extremely religious and believes that questions of religion are its own affairs. The merhants, like the Russian merchants, are against Bolshevism. The peasant

Bolshevism.

rools."

Abraham Ahktiamov, a Social Democrat (Menshevik), of Ufa, a member if the first Constituent Assembly, Mussulman attorney and a man of exceptional intelligence, quotes Lenine, the Bolshevik Premier, as saying that to every Bolshevik are attached "thirty-nine scoundreds and sixty

Ahktiamov does not believe in the possibility of a world-wide social revolution because "America doesn't Saloniki. smell like it; France is not ready for t; England will buy off its promoters and Germany is too weak."

The Kolchak government, he said, is an imperfect nucleus of government which in the present state of iffairs must be recognized."

Wilson has advised the senate through At Piraeus thousands of tons of arships. the State department that he is con- Newfoundland codfish which were rotican minister to Poland.

Vengeance

Pan-German Zeitung Says German Honor Buried

Berlin, June 28 (By the Associated May 20-City National Bank to J. Zeitung prints the following across

"German honor today will be carried to its grave in the Hall of Mirrors, in which the glorious year of 1871, the German empire was resurrected in all its former splendor. Lest we forget. In restless labor the German people will again strive to attain that place among the nations of the world to which it is entitled. Then vengeance for the disgrace of 1919."

The Tageblatt says: "The German people 'reject the treaty which its delegates are signing today, and it does not believe for a single moment it will endure. Despite the fact that it is written on parchment, it remains a scrap of paper, because it is a mockery of all the laws of reason and morals, and the most disgraceful exhibits in the mu-

Fatal Occurrence

T. J. Cornwell of Chester Shoots Himself While Handling Gun

Chester, June 26 .- T. J. Cornwell, May 31-Eugene Forshee to S. C. deputy cierk of court, shot himself this morning and died instantly. Nobody saw the occurrence but friends think that he was loading or oiling his pistol May 28-W. B. Sampson to Janie when the weapon was accidentally discharged. The bullet entered the heart. Mr. Cornwell was an exceedingly capable and painstaking official

May 31—Angel Chicola to J. K. Mrs. A. G. Rembert Dead Was Daughter of The Late the party, composed of both sailors

Bishop W. W. Duncan Spartanburg, June 26 .- The funeral services of Mrs. Alice Duncan Rem- in the last few days, and it is ex-June 2-J. K. Crosswell to J. D. bert, wife of Dr. Arthur Gaillard pected that the remainder will follow Harper and Burke Watson, 1 lot, 1 Rembert, professor of Greek and Bi- at once. ble at Wofford College, who passed away at her home at an early hour yesterday morning, were held this morning at the late residence of the deceased on North Church street. In-

Mrs. Rembert was a daughter of

fragists Proposed.

York, June 24.-An all Amer June 6-D. C. Shaw to G. W. Shaw, ican congress of women suffragists is Argentine. Her proposal has been re-Woman Suffrage Association.

Mrs. Catt has not yet acted upon the suggestion but it is announced that proposes that a Pan-American Conference be held in Buenos Aires in July, 1921 for the study of the civil and political status of women.

"It is proposed," says Signora Mcrean, "that we concentrate our energies on a general movement throughout the Americas in behalf of our women and will be the means of tal production for any year prior to bringing forward suggestions for the 1915. ultimate solution of such difficulties. United States of America will give us their active support; the world-

the result attained makes them stand out as an example among the demosign of ultimate success of our work."

nora Morean, looms a larger hope of olina. a Pan-American organization, "which would stimulate mutual help among the all feminist associations."

To Improve Serbian Transportation.

Saleniki, May 10 (By Mail) .- With American railway material arciving and American army engineers in the Balkans there is now a prospect that railway conditions is the Near East may soon be bettered. Heretofore the work of rebuilding the thousands of dynamited bridges and of repairing the hundreds of miles of twisted, uptorn track in Serbia has progressed

Serbian railroad engineers have been handicapped by lack of labor and material. At present it is a matter of from ten to fifteen days to cross Serbia from Saloniki to Belgrade. If one link of the motor truck service breaks down because of washed out roads or floods carrying away bridges the whole work of the American Red Cross, the American Food Famine Fund workers is held up and a through itorials of interest to the farmer and journey to Belgrade or Saloniki across country may require from fifteen days to a month.

importers, however, American should not figure on transporting the State. They have 75 scholarships freight overland through Serbia at in various colleges of the State and this time. Railroads probably will are offering these to young men and not be regularly running until early young women for getting subscripin 1920. Belgrade is best reached via tions to their paper. Trieste and Fiume rather than from

American shippers will find the harbors and docks at Piraeus and here is their chance to do so at Constantinople crowded freight. Lighterage is difficult to ob- write them for particulars, tain. Conditions are better at Constantinople than at Pireaus and Saloniki. is education and we hope that a large

sidering sending another commission ting on the docks have been thrown Greece.

The next time you buy calomel ask for



The purified and refined calomel tablets that are nausealess, safe and sure. Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

More Germans on Way Five Trains Leave Fort Ogle-

thorpe for Charleston Chattanooga, June 29 .- Five special trains carrying German and Austrian aliens will leave Fort Oglethorpe tomorrow morning for Charleston, S. C., where the former prisoners will be placed aboard ship for transporta-

There will be about 1,800 aliens in of interned enemy vessels and civilians. This is the second contingent to be started for their native: lands

The 1918 Cotton Crop.

Washington, June 26 .- According to a bulletin entitled "Cotton Production terment was in Oakwood Cemetery in the United States: 1918," just is-Dr. John W. Fraser, pastor of the sued by the Bureau of the Census, the Central Methodist Church, conducted American cotton crop of 1918-12; 040,532 equivalent 500-pound bales, gross weight-was somewhat greater than the crops of the preceding three years, but was less than those grown in the years 1911 to 1914 and was also below the averages for the last five years and the last ten years -12,423,917 bales and 12,128,010 proposed by Alicia Morean, president bales, respectively. The production of the National Womens' Union of the in all the cotton States except Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Florida ceived here by Mrs. Carrie Chapman showed increases as compared with Catt, president of the international the preceding year. The greatest absolute increase 333,047 bales, or 26.9 per cent-appears for South Carolina, and the greatest proportional inshe soon will do so. Signora Morean crease 33,867 bales, or 155.8 per cent-for Arizona. The greatest absolute decrease-428,817 bales, or 13.7 per cent-is shown for Texas, and the greatest proportional decrease 382,-195 bales, or 39.9 per cent-for Okla-

During the nine-months period ended April 30, 1919, the production of ideals, being confident that the co- linters amounted to 876,990 equivalent operation of the delegates of the var - 500-pound bales. This is less than ous countries will encourage the dis- the production during the correspondcusion of the different problems ing period for either of the preceding raised relating to the position of two years, but is greater than the to-

Last year's sea island cotton crop, "We hope that our sisters in the 52,208 running bales, is the smallest shown for any year since 1899, the earliest year covered by the bureau's wide prestige won by the part they ginning reports. This type of cotton, have played in this movement and however, represents only a very small fraction of the total, the proportion in 1918 being less than one-half of one cratic institutions, and will be a sure per cent. All the sea island cotton grown in the United States is produc-Behind this conference, adds Sig- ed in Florida, Georgia, and South Car-

Cotton is grown to a greater or fess extent in 17 States, but the combined product of Texas, Georgia, South-Carolina, and Mississippi-the only States which produced more than a million bales each in 1918—represented more than five-eighths-63.2 per cent-of the total crop of that year. Texas alone produced 2,696,561 bales, or 22,4 per cent; Georgia, 2,122,405 bales, or 17.6 per cent; South Carolina, 1,569,-

918 bales, or 13 per cent; and Mississippi, 1,226,051 bales, or 10.2 per cent. The only two counties that produced more than 100,000 bales each from the growth of 1918 were Bolivar, in Mississippi, with 124,936 bales, and Orangeburg, in South Carolina, with

110,718 bales. An Educational Opportunity.

An excellent chance is being offered to the boys and girls of this county by the Carolina Farmer and Stockman to attend college next fall. The Carolina Farmer and Stockman is the only farm paper published in this Commission and the Serbian Relief State and carries all the news und ed-

business man. It has the cooperation of the Department of Agriculture and Clemson College and is serving the farmers of

There are many a boy or girl in the county who would like to earn their way through coilege this next year (Athens), in Greece, at Saloniki and the expense of someone else. Note with their advertisement in this issue and

At both these latter ports the traffic number of young men or women in snarl is almost in a hopeless state. | this county will win these free schol-

The crying need of South Carolina

There is no chance of Sumter Counto Poland for the purpose of investi- into the ocean to make room for ty making as much cotton this year gating Jewish massacres. He said a more urgent freight. With the Greek as last. The acreage is less, the ferdecision would be reached after a army still in the field there is a tilizer less and the crop is not as conference with Hugh Gibson. Amer- great shortage of labor throughout promising as it was this date last sum-